Class X Grammar Workbook: Expanded Edition

Comprehensive Practice on Ecology, Nature & Sustainability

Section 1: Determiners

Fill in the blanks with suitable determiners (a, an, the, some, any, much, many, few, little, etc.)

1. _____ transition to green energy is inevitable.

2. Only _____ countries have achieved their carbon emission targets.

3. Is there _____ hope for the endangered snow leopard?

4. _____ student must plant a tree this year.

5. She has _____ knowledge about sustainable agriculture.

6. We need to save _____ water we have left in the reservoir.

7. I read _____ article yesterday about ocean cleanup projects.

8. _____ plastic bottles were found on the beach this morning.

9. There is _____ time left to reverse the effects of climate change.

10. Can you pass me _____ report on renewable resources?

Section 2: Tenses

Complete the sentences with the correct tense of the verb in brackets.

11. The global temperature _____ (rise) steadily over the last decade.

12. By the year 2050, scientists _____ (develop) completely biodegradable plastics.

13. Whenever it _____ (rain) heavily, the local river overflows.

14. The environmentalists _____ (protest) against the new dam since morning.

15. They _____ (build) a new solar plant in the desert next year.

16. The ice caps _____ (melt) faster than anyone anticipated.

17. While we _____ (discuss) sustainability, millions of trees were being cut down.

18. I _____ (never / see) such a severe drought in this region before.

19. The government _____ (announce) a new recycling policy yesterday.

20. Plants _____ (absorb) carbon dioxide and release oxygen.

Section 3: Modals

Fill in the blanks with appropriate modals (can, could, may, might, will, would, shall, should, must, ought to).

21. We _____ drastically reduce our reliance on fossil fuels to survive.

22. If we invest in green tech, we _____ save the planet.

23. You _____ not litter in the national park.

24. _____ you please turn off the lights when leaving the room?

25. In the future, cars _____ fly, but they will definitely run on electricity.

26. We _____ to plant more native species to support the ecosystem.

27. She _____ easily identify ten different species of local birds.

28. The new policy _____ lead to a 20% reduction in emissions.

29. We _____ protect our wetlands from industrial runoff.

30. I _____ rather use a bicycle than drive a gas-guzzling SUV.

Section 4: Subject-Verb Concord

Choose the correct form of the verb that agrees with the subject.

31. The list of endangered species _____ (is/are) growing every year.

32. Neither the factory owners nor the manager _____ (care/cares) about the river pollution.

33. Eco-friendly packaging and sustainable sourcing _____ (has/have) become standard practices.

34. A flock of migratory birds _____ (was/were) seen near the lake.

35. Every one of the solar panels _____ (needs/need) to be cleaned regularly.

36. The news about the oil spill _____ (is/are) devastating.

37. Two thousand liters of water _____ (is/are) wasted daily due to leaky pipes.

38. Many a scientist _____ (has/have) warned us about global warming.

39. The committee _____ (has/have) issued its final environmental report.

40. Mathematics _____ (is/are) essential for calculating carbon footprints.

Section 5: Reported Speech

Convert the following direct speech into reported speech.

41. The researcher said, "The coral reefs are dying at an alarming rate."

42. The guide told the tourists, "Do not feed the wild animals."

43. Anjali asked, "Will they ban single-use plastics next year?"

44. The Mayor said, "We have planted 10,000 saplings this month."

45. The teacher asked the students, "Why didn't you switch off the fans?"

46. The activist shouted, "Stop destroying our forests!"

47. He said, "I am reading a book on modern sustainability."

48. "Have you seen the documentary on climate change?" asked Rahul.

49. The CEO declared, "Our company will achieve net-zero emissions by 2030."

50. She asked me, "How can I contribute to nature conservation?"

Section 6: Integrated Grammar (Editing)

Identify the error in each line and write the correction.

Text	Error Correction
The Amazon rainforest are often called the lungs of the Earth.	(51)
It produce 20% of the world's oxygen.	(52)
However, deforestation have caused massive damage.	(53)
If we did not act now, it will be too late.	(54)
Many animal lost their habitats every single day.	(55)
Governments must strictly enforced conservation laws.	(56)
We ought educate our children about ecology.	(57)
A little people actually understand the severity of the crisis.	(58)
Let us pledged to protect our natural resources.	(59)
Every action count when it comes to saving the planet.	(60)